

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

- 1-21. (Canceled)
22. (Currently Amended) A solution for the treatment of a microbial infection, said solution ~~comprising~~ consisting of a sterile normal saline liquid vehicle, an antibiotic and a leukotriene dissolved in said sterile normal saline liquid vehicle, wherein said solution is an aerosol.
23. (Original) The solution of Claim 22, wherein said leukotriene is leukotriene B₄.
24. (Original) The solution of Claim 22, wherein said leukotriene is a cysteinyl leukotriene.
25. (Original) The solution of Claim 24, wherein said cysteinyl leukotriene is selected from the group consisting of leukotriene C₄, leukotriene D₄, and leukotriene E₄.
26. (Canceled)
27. (Original) The solution of Claim 22, wherein said microbial infection comprises *Klebsiella pneumoniae* infection.
28. (Currently Amended) An article of manufacture comprising a solution for the treatment of a microbial infection, said solution comprising a sterile liquid vehicle, an antibiotic and a leukotriene dissolved in said sterile liquid vehicle, wherein said solution is in an intratracheal instillation device, said instillation device is selected from the group consisting of an endotracheal tube and a bronchoscope.
29. (Original) The solution of Claim 28, wherein said leukotriene is leukotriene B₄.
30. (Original) The solution of Claim 28, wherein said leukotriene is a cysteinyl leukotriene.

31. (Original) The solution of Claim 28, wherein said cysteinyl leukotriene is selected from the group consisting of leukotriene C₄, leukotriene D₄, and leukotriene E₄.
32. (Original) The solution of Claim 28, wherein said microbial infection comprises *Klebsiella pneumoniae* infection.
33. (Currently Amended) An article of manufacture comprising a composition for the treatment of a microbial infection comprising, a sterile liquid vehicle, an antibiotic and a leukotriene dissolved in said sterile liquid vehicle, wherein said solution is contained within a nebulizer.
34. (Previously Presented) The composition of Claim 33, wherein said leukotriene is leukotriene B₄.
35. (Previously Presented) The composition of Claim 33, wherein said leukotriene is cysteinyl leukotriene.
36. (Previously Presented) The composition of Claim 33, wherein said cysteinyl leukotriene is selected from the group consisting of leukotriene C₄, leukotriene D₄ and leukotriene E₄.
37. (Previously Presented) The composition of Claim 33, wherein said microbial infection comprises *Klebsiella pneumoniae* infection.